

## CARSON AND RENO.

## A Falconite Gives His Impressions of the Two Places.

The editor of the Standard spent two days in the State's capital this week, and our knowledge of Carson life gained in that time was a revelation. It is a pretty town and its business and moral life is such that the local medical fraternity have never reported a case of nervous prostration in the history of the place.

A unique feature is the great predominating majority of native born Carsonites. It has been said that the only exception to this rule were a few of the State officials and the inmates of the State prison. The local press is even now working with commendable industry and may succeed in inducing the governor and his assistants to become naturalized and bona fide residents in the capital city, while the convicts have all expressed a regret that the stork had not made them native sons. In fact the conditions are so ideal that many return for a second and third term.

The only scrap noticed in recent years was on an occasion some months ago when a sightseer ruthlessly spat in the eye of a native born potato. The matter was later adjusted satisfactorily.

The Tonopah traffic has contributed largely toward livening up the capital city and fattening the receipts of the V. and T. company. Many dollars have been diverted into Carson business channels during the past year and the business men are in a very regretful mood that the Hazen cut-off should be nearing completion as it will deprive them of a good sized plum.

The State capital grounds are now the scene of an experiment of general interest throughout the State, which is paying \$53 per diem for a well driller to search for artesian water. They are now down several hundred feet, and the last few days have been spent in the search for a lost drill. The drilling apparatus is a walking-beam affair and when the driller wants to get the best results he hires a man with a patriarchal beard to work as a pendulum on one end of the walking beam attachment.

These and other things, not occurring to the writer act to keep the capital city from sinking into a state of "innocuous desuetude."

Any mention of Carson would be incomplete without a word about her local home conditions. She and Reno are sister towns, but one would never know it, judging from the facial and moral conditions presented by each. The latter is lively, but it isn't the kind of life that counts, and if she would retain the honor of being metropolis of the State she must improve her moral conditions. At the present time this honor is an empty one, for the reason that the metropolitan conditions are absent. The spectacle of a wide open village with little or no moral sentiment to counteract the lower classes, is revolting. A visit to the gambling places discloses a condition of utter depravity where the beardless youth and the aged failure mingle under the eyes of the police. Neither can you take your wife to any business house in the city without bringing her in contact with the ribaldry that goes with a wide open town. Reno is hailed as the mecca of the gambler and her local conditions are made to suit her needs and not the needs of the moral citizen. 'Tis indeed a nice commentary upon the impulses that govern the town.—Standard.

## A Fine Entertainment.

Last evening at the hall used by the Kintoscope, a number of little girls of this city entertained the elders with a most enjoyable two hours of pleasure.

There was singing, dancing and piano playing, until all were satisfied that the little ones of this city have plenty of talent. Little Miss Mildred Sutherland acted as accompanist and her performance was not only loudly applauded but was appreciated by many of the elders who have not the natural talent.

The following little girls took part in the entertainment: Mildred Sutherland, Marguerite and Dorothy Raycraft, Ardel Norcross, Florence Burlingame, Rubel Sweetland, Marguerite Brown, Melba and Hilda Livingston and Sadie Bell Brown.

The hall was crowded to almost the suffocation point, but in spite of this fact, the audience remained until the little ones said good night.

Ed. Bettencourt and Dick Bright were departures for the shady trout streams yesterday. They expect to be gone several weeks.

## CASH BOY.

## Titles Clear and Hoist Ready For Work.

The following clipping is from the Tonopah Miner. The Cash Boy mine is owned largely by Carson City and Reno capital and is one of the "comers" of the Tonopah district, as it lies in the proven zone of ledges. Extensive development operations have been begun and there is hardly the shadow of a doubt that this will become one of the big producers of the camp.

"L. A. Blakeslee, Collector of Internal Revenue for the district of Nevada, came down from Reno this week to complete arrangements for extensive operations on the Cash Boy claim, belonging to the Tonopah Cash Boy Mining Company, of which he is president. He was accompanied by A. G. Fletcher, a director of the Bank of Nevada, who is treasurer of the company. The Cash Boy adjoins the Golden Anchor on the west, on the trend of the big ledge recently cut on the 750 level of the Golden Anchor. The erection of the 60 h. p. steam hoist has just been completed and the sinking of the shaft, which is now down 70 feet, will be resumed at once. The work is in charge of Sam Crossley, who has successfully operated mines in Nevada for the past thirty-five years. The Cash Boy is one of the best situated claims in the district and in the opinion of well-informed mining men will catch one or more of the great ledges running to the west from Mt. Oddie. The adverse which was recently filed against the Cash Boy has been withdrawn, and the time within which suits involving title can be filed having expired, the title reposed in the Cash Boy Mining Company is now perfect. The white spot which appears on the claim in the new map of the Tonopah district issued by Bradford & Bradford indicates that the "area in conflict" under the adverse recently withdrawn, and should be filled in with the color of the claim to make the map conform to the record."

## Goldfield Outdone.

The pay streak encountered in Olinghouse Canyon runs into fabulous values. It is eight inches wide and an assay of \$50,000 per ton was secured, a second of \$62,000 per ton and a third showing the remarkable value of \$172,000 per ton was obtained. The main vein carrying ledge is four feet wide, but the rich streak is about eight inches wide.

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## Coming Attraction.

The Georgia Harper Company will hold the boards in the Carson Opera House the week of the 14th.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McCarthy and daughter of Tonopah are visiting Mayor Mackey and Will Epstein. Mr. McCarthy will leave for the camp Thursday morning and his family will return to Reno.

## QUIT WORK.

## The State Well is Lost and Contract is Canceled.

Yesterday there was a marked inactivity at the State well, where contractor Gray has been boring and fishing for the past month or more. The work of fishing for the lost tools has been given up as a bad job. The new tackle which was brought from California took hold of the lost tools with such effect that neither the original package or the new apparatus can be brought to the surface. The value of the tools will reach into several hundred dollars and this, it is believed, will have to fall on the contractors.

As near as can be figured the casing has collapsed and in forcing the tools past the broken joint, it has caught and held the tools firmly. The State Board realized that it was useless to fish any further in that particular place and after a consultation with Mr. Gray it was decided to abandon the place and try elsewhere.

It is possible that a new well will be sunk within a few feet of the present hole, as all that will have to be done will be to move the rig a few feet either way, and as it is all in position, this will take but a short time.

Many people have advocated moving the entire plant to another site outside the Carson square, which really seems to be the best plan, but as the law is the mandate in this affair, it seems that the well must be dug on the State property. It will be several days before a decision will be reached, and as the cash is in the treasury to prosecute the work it is probable that another well will be attempted while this complete rig is in the State.

## Horse Dealings.

A great deal of money is constantly being made in Tonopah through horse dealings. Shrewd buyers and traders find out the days when the Indians come to town from the neighboring camps and then the buyers make them a small offer for their horses, which is usually accepted. One man recently bought a horse from an Indian for \$30 and was soon offered \$75 for him. The Indians seem to have little knowledge of the value of horses and when they are short of money, one can buy them very cheaply.

## Newspaper for Hazen.

A new newspaper to be known as the Hazen Harvest, will make its initial appearance at Hazen next Saturday. The new paper will be edited by Hunter and Reynolds, and will be devoted to the upbuilding of the country in that vicinity. Both the owners of the new paper are experienced business men.

## Commissioners Meeting.

The Board of County Commissioners will meet in this city next Monday, August 7th. All persons having claims against the county will present same before that date.

H. B. VAN ETTEN, Clerk.

A couple of automobiles passed through yesterday on their way to Tonopah where they will be placed in service.

Wanted—Two good men who have had practical experience, one a mill man and one a cyanide man. Write to or inquire of Chas Barrett, General manager, Loope, Alpine County, California.

## ACQUITTED.

## Jury in the McKenna Case Brings in Verdict of Not Guilty.

The case of Mrs. McKenna, on trial at the U. S. Court on a charge of selling whisky to Indians, was finished yesterday and the case given to the jury. After deliberating several hours the jury brought in a verdict of not guilty and they were discharged by Judge Hawley.

The case has attracted considerable attention from the fact that the defendant is a woman and is practically put out of business by the action taken against her. She conducted a small store in Moapa, southern Nevada, and when arrested she was compelled to mortgage and finally sell her property in order to defend herself against the Federal authorities.

Attorney Poujade was appointed to make the defense, and he certainly handled the case admirably. Witnesses were sent for which took several days to bring to this city, and he had the case in hand from the opening. It is stated the woman will be tried on two other counts.

## Named the Day.

The school trustees of Carson City school district have settled upon August 19th as the date for the laying of the corner stone of the magnificent new public school building, which will be erected at a cost of \$35,000.

A novel feature of the building is that it is the first large structure in the State to be constructed of the artificial rock manufactured by the Nevada Hydraulic Stone Company.

The trustees have sent a request to the Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of Masons in Nevada, C. N. Noteware, to have the Grand Lodge officiate at the corner-stone laying. Mr. Noteware today forwarded the invitation to Grand Master Beemer of Sparks. It is the intention to have the school children assist in the ceremony.

## Off For the Lake.

Joe Kelly and family were departures for Glenbrook yesterday, where they will spend the next month or more. They have taken a cottage for the time and are making ready for an enjoyable outing at the finest lake in all America and one of the prettiest spots on the Lake.

## Volunteers of America.

The Volunteers of America held an open air meeting last evening in front of the Arlington hotel. Another service will be held this evening to which the public is invited to attend.

Attorney Sam Platt was among the arrivals from Reno yesterday.

Frank Evans came down from the Lake yesterday and expects to return sometime today.

The Overland Mining Company yesterday paid a bullion tax amounting to \$120.50.

The Tonopah Miner and Bonanza pronounce the so-called diamond fields near that city a fake.

The postoffice at Reno has again been placed on an all night basis and the office will remain open continually.

The Ophir Mining Company yesterday received \$7,133.61 as net proceeds of the sale of 2 railroad cars of first-class ore.

The Western Union Telegraph Company will extend its line from Tonopah to Goldfield. The construction of this important improvement will begin at once. Already one carload of material for the construction of the line has arrived and more will soon follow.

Charley Watson and wife have returned from Beatty, where they report the section booming and the mines the greatest on earth. They will tarry here a few days or until they get cooled off for the desert scorching.

Henry Cutting claims that President Humphrey of the Washoe Power and Development Company, has handed him the "double-cross," or at least, if not that, Mr. Humphrey has been badly misled. Mr. Cutting returned to Reno from San Francisco yesterday where he went to make a deal for the sale of the property.

## Rubicon Springs.

Rubicon Springs one of the most celebrated resorts of the high Sierras has opened for the season. The Springs are known the West over for their curative powers.

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